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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/749,575

"Oversampling D/A Converter and Method for Shaping..."

Applicant: Capofreddi, et al.

Examiner: unassigned Art Unit: unassigned

Our Ref. No. 617882-7/B-3932

## Gentlemen:

It will be appreciated if you will inform us as to the status of the above-identified U.S. patent application. This inquiry is being initiated on the basis of the fact that the application was filed on December 31, 2003 and an official action dealing substantively with this application has not been received. Therefore, please inform us as to when we may expect to receive an official action for the above-identified application.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours, LADAS & PARRY LLP

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